NILAMANI ROUTRAY): (a) to (c) A survey made in Chondwar Town reveals that there is no pollution due to carbonmonoxide from the Charge Crome Plant. Adequate pollution control measures have been taken by the unit. The unit has installed necessary Electro-Static Precipitators in its thermal power plant for control of air pollution. The unit has taken steps to instal the necessary gas cleaning plant in the Charge Crome Unit, which has recently started its trial production. The unit has also installed a sedimentation tank to arrest the suspended particulate matter from the waste water generated from the plant.

Non-Declaration of Result of the Candidates seeking Re-Checking before the Commencement of next Supplementary Examinations

2282. SHRI RAM AWADHESH SINGH: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that most of the students of 10th and 12th classes of C.B.S.E. who were required to appear in the supplementary examination in the respective subjects applied for re-checking of their respective papers and a sum of Rs. 50/- was received by the Central Board per subject for the purpose of rechecking;

(b) whether it is also a fact that the result of re-checking of the respective papers was to be declared at least a fort-night before the commencement of the supplementary examination to be held on the 29th July, 1990; and

(c) if so, what action Government propose to take against the Board authorities responsible for delay and refund the fees for rechecking deposited by the students?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA): (a) No, Sir. It is not a fact that most compartmental students of classes 10 and 12 applied for rechecking. However, it is true that Central Board of Secondary Education charges Rs. 50 per subject for re-checking.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Does not arise.

Hasassment of Scientists in C.F.R.I.

2283. SHRI SUKOMAL SEN: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the news item and letters to the Editor column which appeared in "The Telegraph" dated the 4th January, and the 21st February, 1990, respectively under the captions 'Scientists Quit Grievance Panel' and "Healing touch needed" respectively;

(b) if so, whether the reasons for which the Scientists were deliberately deprived of their rightful promotion by the Director, Central Fuel Research Institute;

(c) what steps Government propose to take to redress the grievances of the Scientists namely Shri D. N. Singh, Dr. R. N. Bhattacharjee and Dr. S. Sen in the matter of their promotions;

(d) whether it is a fact that none of the letters written by Shri B. N. P. Singh, General Manager, Bihar State Superphosphate Factory, Sindri to the C.S.I.R. authorities and the Director, Central Fuel Research Institute was replied;

(e) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(f) if not, what steps Government have taken to look into the points raised by Shri B. N. P. Singh, and a member of the Interview Committee regarding the promotion of the Scientists?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (PROF. M. G. K.